

ADMIRE TROPHY—Head Coach Bill Grissom, center, and two of his football players admire the Bi-District trophy won by the Pipers Friday night when they defeated the Baird Bears, 20-14. Looking over the trophy with Coach Grissom are juniors Drew Tomlinson, left, and Mike Hymer, right. Coach Grissom is busy this week getting his team ready for the Regional playoff game with Seagraves to be played Friday night at 7:30 in Big Spring.

NEWS AND VIEWS...

And What Have You

By BOB CRAIG

The Pipers earned their second trip into the Regional playoffs Friday night when they defeated the Baird Bears, 20-14. The Pipers will be facing the Seagraves Eagles Friday night in Big Spring. The Eagles advanced in the playoffs last week by defeating the Rankin Red Devils in Andrews Friday night.

Seagraves, a long time powerhouse in Class A, advanced to the semi-finals last year before losing to DeLeon. The Eagles were ranked No. 3 in the final Associated Press poll while Rankin was ranked No. 8.

The game should be a real challenge to the Pipers who are still looking for their first Regional win.

Hamlin will be the visiting team and will be on the east side of the stands. For the benefit of those not familiar with the Big Spring stadium it is on the east side of town and can be seen from the highway. It is located near the Howard County Junior College and should not be hard to find.

Hopefully, the Pipers will continue to have the great support from their fans as they have always had.

See you in Big Spring Friday night.

It is strange how most people express almost a hate for the wealthy but at the same time lean over backward to serve and cater to them. This was plainly brought out in the following story that appeared in Sunday's Dallas Morning News. Since few people in Hamlin get this newspaper we thought you might enjoy it.

Rich IS Better

By MARYLN SCHWARTZ

F. Scott Fitzgerald was right. Being rich is different.

To find out just how different, The Dallas News spent one day looking at life from a shining-new, chauffeur-driven limousine — and one day coping from a shopworn Toyota.

The first discovery — there are class distinctions, even on the toll road.

The long black limousine was suitably impressive as it pulled up to the booth on Dallas North Tollway.

"This is very embarrassing, but I just don't seem to have a quarter. My chauffeur is broke too. Can I charge it?"

The toll booth guard began to giggle. This was clearly something to tell your friends about.

"I tell you what," he said

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Hamlin FFA Hosts District Contests

Approximately 250 Future Farmers of America from 12 of the 15 chapters in the Double Mountain District FFA Association participated in the annual leadership contests of the district held Wednesday, Nov. 17, at Hamlin High School with the Hamlin FFA Chapter and the Hamlin High School Vocational Agriculture Department serving as host for the contest.

Chapters entering the contests were Anson, Hamlin, Haskell, Hawley, Hobbs, Lueders-Avoca, Paint Creek, Roby, Rochester, Rotan, Stamford and Weinert. Haskell and Roby were the big winners with two first place teams each.

JUNIOR CHAPTER CONDUCTING: 1. Roby, 2. Hawley, and 3. Rotan. Other

teams were Anson, Hamlin, Haskell, Lueders-Avoca, Paint Creek and Stamford.

SENIOR CHAPTER CONDUCTING: 1. Rotan, 2. Stamford, and 3. Haskell. Other teams were Anson, Hamlin, Hawley, Lueders-Avoca and Roby.

JUNIOR FARM SKILLS: 1. Roby, 2. Anson, and 3. Hawley. Other teams were Haskell, Paint Creek, Rochester and Weinert.

SENIOR FARM SKILLS: 1. Haskell, 2. Roby and 3. Hawley. Other teams were Anson, Paint Creek, Rochester, Stamford and Weinert.

FARM RADIO: 1. Stamford, 2. Anson, and 3. Haskell. Other teams were Hawley, Hobbs, Paint Creek, Roby, Rotan and Weinert.

FFA QUIZ: 1. Haskell, 2. Hawley, and 3. Rotan. Other teams were Anson, Hamlin, Lueders-Avoca, Paint Creek, Roby and Stamford.

James Beasley, Sharla Turner, Gayla Bockmon and Russell Crowley were on the Hamlin FFA quiz team.

Members of Hamlin's junior chapter conducting team were Russell Crowley, Neal Baker, Sharla Turner, Jamie Woods, Gayla Bockmon, Sherman Bates, Ricky Lawlis and James Beasley.

Guy Turner, Mark Carter, Gary Lain, Rickey Goodgame, Tracy Gregory, Russ Lahey, Mike Corley and Russell Laird were members of the senior chapter conducting team from Hamlin.

4-H Members Selling Cakes

The Hamlin members of the Jones County 4-H Club are selling the Texas Fruit Cakes again this year, according to Mrs. George Campbell and Mrs. Garnet Waggoner, adult workers here.

The fruit cakes are available in two sizes, one pound for \$2.50 and the five-pound size for \$13.95.

The cakes are manufactured by Manna Food of Dallas and include butter, fruit and nuts in the special recipe. There is no citron.

Orders may be placed by calling 576-2407 or 576-2566.

School Out Early For Holidays

Hamlin Schools will dismiss classes Wednesday at 2 p.m. for the Thanksgiving holidays. Busses will run at this time, said Bob Hawes, school superintendent.

Classes will resume Monday, Nov. 29, on their regular schedule, he said.

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FOR REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP—

Pipers-Seagraves Set To Meet At Big Spring

The Pipers will meet one of the top Class A teams in the state Friday night when they travel to Big Spring to meet the Seagraves Eagles in a Regional Championship match. The Pipers defeated the Baird Bears, 20-14, and Seagraves defeated the Rankin Red Devils, 36-8, in their Bi-District matches.

The kickoff is set for 7:30 in the Big Spring stadium with Seagraves being the home team and the Hamlin fans will be sitting in the east stands.

The Eagles are the top ranked Class A team left in the playoffs, according to the Associated Press polls. Both the No. 1 and No. 2 teams, Aledo and Groveton failed to get past their Bi-District foes.

The Eagles jumped out to a

28-0 lead over Rankin in the first period in their Bi-District clash at Andrews Friday night. They scored on an 86-yard run on the first

play from scrimmage and scored from 82 yards out on their fourth play of the game. Both teams ended the scoring for the night in the second

period with eight points each.

Seagraves will go into the game with a 9-1 record for the year having lost to undefeated Ozona, 25-0 in a non-conference game earlier in the year. Ozona is ranked No. 4 in Class AA and will meet Post in their Regional Championship game. Seagraves did not play its final game of the regular season because of the snow.

The Eagles are coached by Jim Eddins who has his team in the playoffs for the third time. Eddins, who coaches the Wing-T, has a powerful ground attack with halfbacks Clarence Davis and Steve McCormick and fullback Mike Hoover. All three had neared the 1,000 yard rushing mark going into their Bi-District game.

Quarterback Dennis Middleton uses the pass as the last resort and throws only six to ten times a game with end Brad Wood the key receiver.

Across the front Seagraves will have senior Mike Hughes, junior Daylan Sellers, junior Wesley Smith, senior Nato Bueno and senior Wallace Houston. All have playoff experience. Last year Seagraves advanced to the Class A semifinals against DeLeon before losing 37-7.

SEAGRAVES OFFENSE

Ends: Brad Hughes, 170, Sr.; Wesley Smith, 180, Jr.; Tackles: Nato Bueno, 187, Sr.; Johnny Suniga, 175, Sr.; Guards: Max Ward, 155, Sr.; David Welch, 145, Jr.; Center: Mike Hughes, 170, Sr.; Quarterback: Dennis Middleton, 140, Jr.; Halfbacks: Clarence Davis, 180, Jr.; Steve McCormick, 165, Jr.; Fullback: Mike Hoover, 183, Jr.

SEAGRAVES DEFENSE

Ends: Hughes, Wallace Houston, 165, Sr.; Tackles: Daylan Sellers, 205, Jr.; Nose Guard: Smith; Linebackers: Hoover, McCormick; Defensive Backs: Mike Holland, 160, Sr.; Wendall Griffin, 150, Jr.; Davis, Woods.

Hamlin Girls Capture Stamford Tournament

The Hamlin girls opened the basketball season this past weekend by capturing the Stamford Girls Basketball Tournament by defeating the host team in the finals, 63-42.

Starlet Covington was named the Outstanding Forward in the tourney and both Barbara Hooper and Tonya Covington were selected to the All-Tournament team as guards.

Hamlin defeated Ballinger in the first round of play Thursday evening, 61-23, and then knocked off Rule in the second game Saturday morning, 55-21.

The girls were to play at Anson Tuesday evening with the junior varsity playing the first game and then the varsity. The two teams are scheduled to play at Jim Ned Tuesday, Nov. 30.

BCD Taking Nominations For Top Citizens Awards

The Hamlin Board of Community Development is currently seeking nominations for its annual Citizens of the Year awards to be presented at the Annual Banquet. The BCD directors adopted a number of changes in the selection of these awards for this year.

Deadline for nominations for the award will be Dec. 31. The Awards and Citation Committee appointed by the directors recommended to the board the following procedures for the selection of citizens for the year:

The nominees must have participated in or contributed to either civic endeavors, church activities, youth activities, or citizenship practices. All participation or contribution must have been done on a free basis.

Any man or woman, regardless of race, creed or religion, provided that person is a member of the community, is eligible for

nomination. The person does not have to be a member of any civic organization.

Procedures outlined by the committee for making the nominations are: anyone may make a nomination and all that is required is a biographical sketch of the one to be nominated citing service and contributions they have made.

Nominations should be sent to the Hamlin Board of Community Development office.

The chairman will appoint a secret committee of three directors to screen all nominees.

The guidelines adopted by the directors state that only one person may be honored if the committee feels only one is qualified and also stated that it is not necessary to have the award given each year if there is no one qualified to receive the award in the opinion of the committee.

Most Stores Set To Close Early For Friday Game

The majority of Hamlin merchants have stated that they will close their doors at 4 p.m. Friday so that they may travel to the Regional playoffs to be held in Big Spring, stated Peggy Bonds, BCD secretary.

Chartered Bus May Take Fans To Big Spring

BCD Secretary Peggy Bonds announced that there is a possibility that a bus may be chartered to take Piper fans to the Regional playoff game in Big Spring Friday, if enough interested people sign up to go.

Price per person would be \$6.30 round trip, not including the \$2.50 price for a ticket to see the game, she said.

Interested persons are urged to call B. V. Newberry, principal, at the high school by 2 p.m. Wednesday.

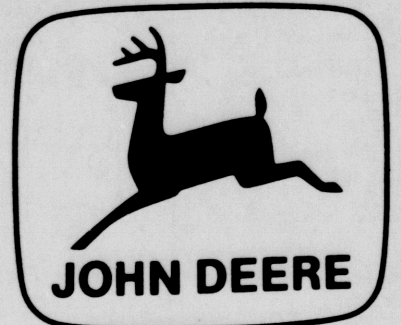


GOING FOR REGIONAL TITLE—The Pied Pipers captured the school's second Bi-District Championship Friday night in Abilene and will be seeking their first Regional title Friday night in Big Spring when they take on the Seagraves Eagles. The Pipers will go into the game with a 9-2 season record while Seagraves has a 9-1. The Pipers defeated Baird 20-14 to advance in the Class A playoffs while Seagraves defeated Rankin 36-8. Pipers pictured left to right are, bottom row, Coach Jimmy Lisle, Mark Carter, Joe Smith, Ronald Brown

Stanley Jones, Charles Brown, Vance Lakey, Head Coach Bill Grissom; middle row: Coach Keith Barrick, Jimmy Ledbetter, Tommy Maberry, Wayne Wheat, Delbert Thompson, Mike Corley, Paul Reynolds, Allen Young, Brett McCracken, Coach Andy Lowe; top row: Coach Gary Bartee, Russ Lakey, Edwin Wheat, Roger Gonzalez, Ricky Goodgame, Drew Tomlinson, Mike Hymer, Tomas Gonzalez, Mack Lee, and Coach Larry Bartee. (Photo by Tim Jones)



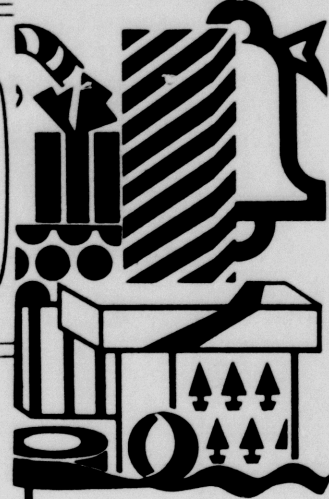
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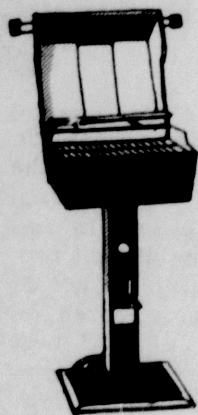
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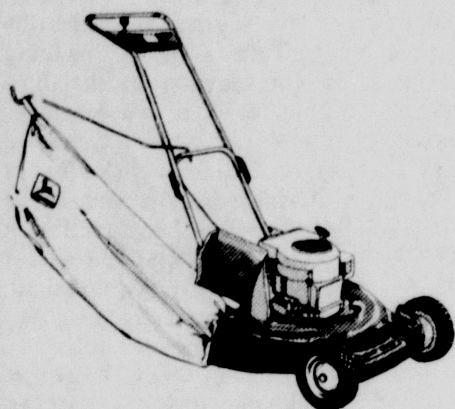
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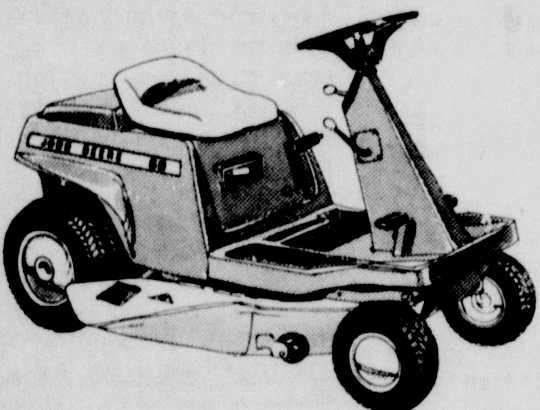
Barbecue Grills

Make cook-outs more fun with a John Deere Barbecue Grill. Choose gas, charcoal, or electric models. All grills feature quality construction for easy cooking and long service life. Gas grills can easily be converted to burn LP-gas. We have grill accessories, too.



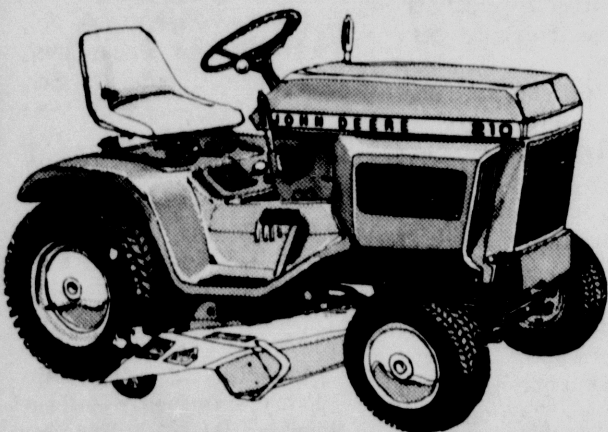
Rotary Mowers

John Deere 18- and 20-inch Rotary Mowers feature a unique handlebar mounting to both deck and engine. Gives you a firm, controlled feel—not spongy. Blade and cutting chamber provide ample suction for clean, even mowing. Optional grass bag is available.



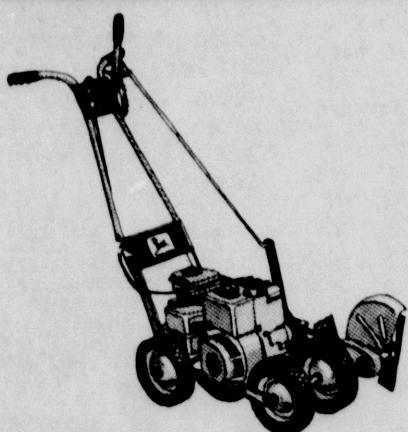
Riding Mowers

John Deere Riders give top performance and durability. The engine is fully enclosed to enhance the sleek styling and to reduce sound for a really quiet ride. Choose from 6-hp or 8-hp gasoline-powered riders with a 5-speed transmission, or the super-quiet Electric 96.



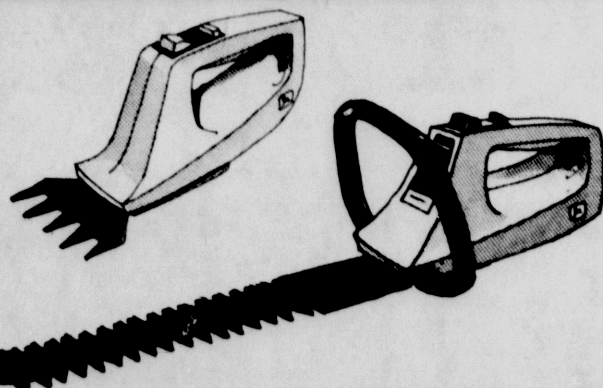
10- to 14-hp Tractors

John Deere 200 Series Tractors offer three power sizes: 10, 12, and 14 hp. All provide built-in headlights, 3.5 U.S. gallon gas tank, and variable-speed drive to change ground speeds without clutching. Attachments: 38- and 46-inch mowers, front blade, snow thrower, and rotary tiller.



Lawn Edger

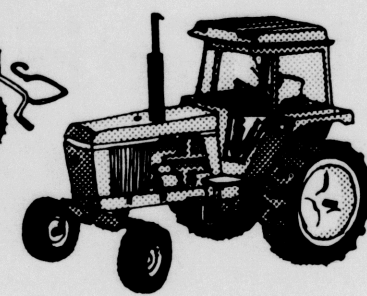
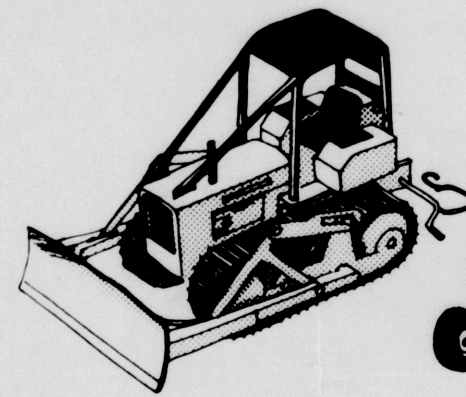
A John Deere 3-hp Edger adjusts to many cutting-blade settings. Vertical for edging along walks and drives. Horizontal for trimming under hedges, around trees. In-between angles for a bevel edge. For safety: semi-enclosed blade; automatic stop when cutterhead is raised.



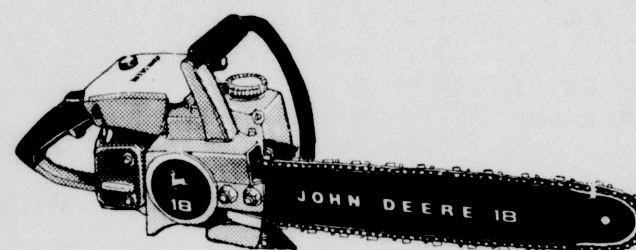
Cordless Shears and Trimmers

Keep shrubs neat, grass trimmed the modern, easy way with John Deere Cordless Electric Trimmers and Shears. Three trimmer models and 3- and 4-inch shears have rechargeable, nickel-cadmium batteries and alloy-steel blades with non-stick coating. Battery charger included.

John Deere Toys for Christmas

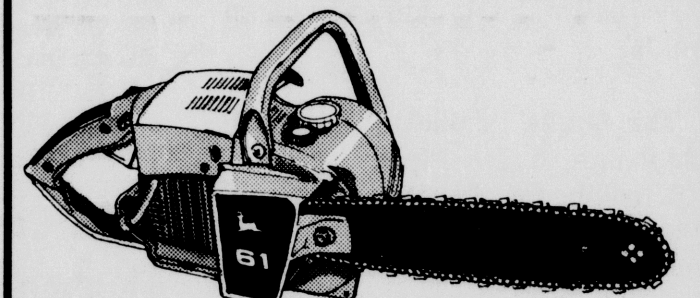


From authentic scale models of the real machines to pedal-driven riding tractors, John Deere Action Toys are designed to make kids happy Christmas morning. They keep parents happy too, with their long-lasting durability. Many moving parts make playtime more fun. See our broad selection soon.



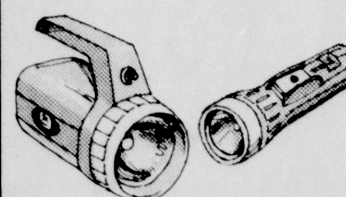
Heavy-Duty Chain Saws

John Deere Chain Saws give you big power for clearing a woodlot or cutting firewood. Get chrome-plated cutting edges, padded handles, clustered controls, automatic chain oiling and a low-tone muffler on chain saws with guidebars from 15 to 23 inches, solid or roller nose.



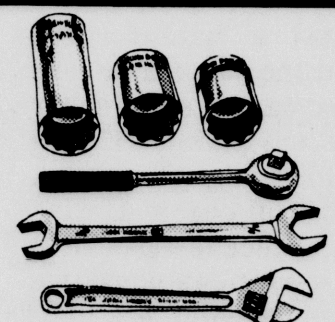
Lightweight Chain Saws

John Deere Chain Saws offer compact economy models for weekend woodcutters. They weigh only 6½ pounds, yet pack plenty of power. Choose guidebars from 10 to 14 inches, with chrome-plated cutting edges that stay sharp longer. For push-button starting and gas-powered mobility, get an 81 Electric-Start.



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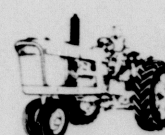


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Birthdays

Celebrating November birthdays at the Hamlin Day Care Center Tuesday were Mollie Bonds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bonds, 1 year old on Nov. 26 and Michael Gaines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gaines, 4 Nov. 11.

Birthday cake and fruit punch were served.

Swank-Guerra Wedding Vows Exchanged In Waco

A Saturday morning ceremony in St. Francis on the Brazos Catholic Church of Waco united in marriage Patti Lavoice Swank of Dallas and Manuel John Guerra Jr. of Dallas. The



MRS. MANUEL JOHN GUERRA JR. ... formerly Patti Lavoice Swank

Rev. Lorraine performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Lavoice Swank. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Guerra Sr. of Moody.

Kathy Pilcher of San Angelo was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Dwain Woodliff of Austin, Kathy Kuehl and Cindi Jackson of Waco, cousins of the bride. Their yellow empire dresses were overlaid with flocked illusion material and they carried long stemmed yellow carnations.

Mike Crump of Dallas was best man. Groomsmen were Mike Nix, James Shillings and Lee Farmer of Waco. Susan Ford was soloist.

The bride wore a white satin gown fashioned by her

mother. The empire bodice was highlighted with a Queen Anne collar and insets of Guipure lace and sheer lace sleeves. The A-line skirt ended in a full length chapel train. A lace covered Juliet cap held her tiered illusion veil. She carried a bouquet of yellow and white carnations, roses and gypsophila.

The bridegroom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner in their home. The bride's parents were hosts for the reception in the parish hall. The bride is a graduate of Albany High School and earned a degree from McLennan Community College, Waco.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Moody High School and McLennan Community College.

The couple will live in Dallas where the bride is employed by the U. S. Dept. of Army-Corps of Engineers and the bridegroom is employed by Burt & Associates.

A prenuptial compliment to the bride was a coffee given Nov. 16 in the home of Mrs. J. O. Murphree. Other hostesses were Mmes. Marvin Carlton, B. V. Newberry and Frank Codington.

Phebean Class Holds Dinner

The Phebean Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner at the church Friday evening. Mrs. Bernice Moore brought the devotion on the life of Job.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Carpenter, Marie Hill, Mrs. Lala Harbert and Christian Cowan. Others attending were



MR. AND MRS. WALTER E. BRANCH ... to be honored Saturday

Reception to Honor Couple Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Branch, 413 N. W. Ave. D, will be honored with a reception Saturday, Nov. 27, from 3 to 5 p.m. in First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall.

The couple will be celebrating the Fiftieth Anniversary of their marriage. Their ten children will be hosting the event. All friends and relatives are invited.

The couple's children are George B. Branch, Mrs. A. J. Hinds, John H. Branch, all of Milburn, Okla., Wallace E. Branch of Wylie, Mrs. Doyle A. Lee of Stamford, James B. Branch of Aspermont, Mrs. A. B. Tucker of Rotan, David Branch of Snyder, Mrs. James W. Carter and Mrs. Ronnie Hill, both of Hamlin. Branch was born Feb. 11,

1902, in Leon, Love County, Okla. She was born Effie Cox Oct. 14, 1908, at Kennefic, Johnston County, Okla.

They met in Stamford in June, 1926, and were married there Dec. 4, 1926.

They have lived in Stamford, Seymour, Milburn, Okla., and Anson before moving to Hamlin in February, 1972.

He is a retired farmer and likes to fish and do gardening. Mrs. Branch's hobby is sewing. They are members of Calvary Baptist Church.

They have 28 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Naomi Class Thanksgiving Dinner Held

The Naomi Class of the First Baptist Church held its annual Thanksgiving dinner in the Fellowship Hall of the Church Thursday, Nov. 18.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Carpenter,

Rev. and Mrs. Howard Jones, Mr. Joe Simpson, and the husbands of the members of the Naomi Class.

The opening prayer was by Rev. Jones. Ronnie Carpenter, new educational director, led the group in songs, and later he gave an informal program on the Thanksgiving season

Woman's Forum Sets Meeting

The Hamlin Woman's Forum will meet Monday at 7 p.m. at Harden Memorial Library for the quarterly business meeting.

Mrs. Robert Moore, president, will preside.

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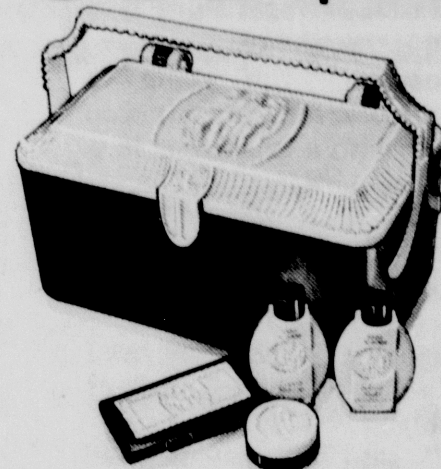
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RECEIVES HIGHEST DEGREE—Receiving the Honorary American Farmer Degree, the highest degree of membership in the Future Farmers of America, is Milburn Wink, left, Hamlin High School vocational agriculture teacher. With Wink is John C. Johnson of Ford Tractor Operations, guest speaker at a dinner Nov. 12 sponsored by Ford, honoring the 81 recipients of the high award.

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And What Have You

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magnanimously. "I'm going to treat you. How often do you get to treat a lady with a chauffeur in a Cadillac?"

He flicked in a quarter and continued to giggle.

Two days later, the Toyota pulled up.

"This is very embarrassing, but I just don't seem to have a quarter? Can I owe you?"

"Lady," said the exasperated guard. "The signs clearly say how much this costs before you get on. If I let you go through, I have to make up for it myself. Write a check."

The next test was a self-service gas station.

The Cadillac drove in and sat in front of a gas tank. The chauffeur didn't move.

Two minutes later, the owner came out.

"Can I do something for you ma'am?"

"Fill it up, please."

The man not only filled up the tank, he checked the oil and wiped the windshield. He didn't even flinch when the "fill-up" turned out to be just a little over \$2. He did not not charge for the service.

"It's kind of a kick," he explained. "I mean, we have cheap gas and it's an off brand. A lot of people are scared of it. But if they see a chauffeured limousine in here, it's fantastic for business. They figure we got class. Hell, you keep coming here and I'll give you the gas for free. Just let people see you."

He also explained there was no reason to have to drive a block to use the phone at the 7-11. The one in his office was available free.

There was no chance to talk to the owner when the Toyota pulled up beside the gas tank.

After a 10 minute wait, the man yelled out, "It's self service. We ain't giving service at these prices."

"I understand. But could you do you do me a favor? Is there a phone here I could use? It's rather urgent that I find one."

"There's a 7-11 down the street. They make change down there."

The general public reacts the same way. When the chauffeur pulled the limousine in front of a movie theater where a long line of people were trying to buy advance movie tickets, he just walked right up the head of line and bought tickets. He then got back into the illegally parked limousine and drove away.

No one even questioned him.

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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Christ Ambassadors 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY
Midweek Service 7:00 p.m.
BAPTIST MEXICAN MISSION

Rev. Filepe Martinez
Stamford Highway

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

CALVARY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. James Whitten

N. W. Avenue G at 5th

SUNDAY

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

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Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

CENTRAL BAPTIST

Rev. Jess Wayne Adkins

SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Church Training 6:00 p.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

David E. Giddings, minister

Lake Drive at Ave. A

SUNDAY

Bible Class 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Midweek service 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. Marshall Stewart

S. W. 1st at Avenue C

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Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.

N.Y.P.S. 5:00 p.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

EAST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Bible Class 6:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Howard J. Jones

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:40 a.m.

Training Union 6:00 p.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Howard Marcom

48 S. W. Ave. A

SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Sharing Groups 7:30 p.m.

FOURSQUARE CHURCH

113 S. W. Avenue D

SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer, Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC

Rev. Frank Nelan

Aspermont Highway

SUNDAY

Mass 9:00 a.m.

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Services 7:30 p.m.

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Rev. George Caffey

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Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

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Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

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Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Service 6:30 p.m.

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Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.

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Rev. Harold C. Ely

SUNDAY

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Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Meeting 8:00 p.m.

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Rev. Richard L. Maxwell

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Evangel. Service 6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

THURSDAY

Youth Service 7:30 p.m.

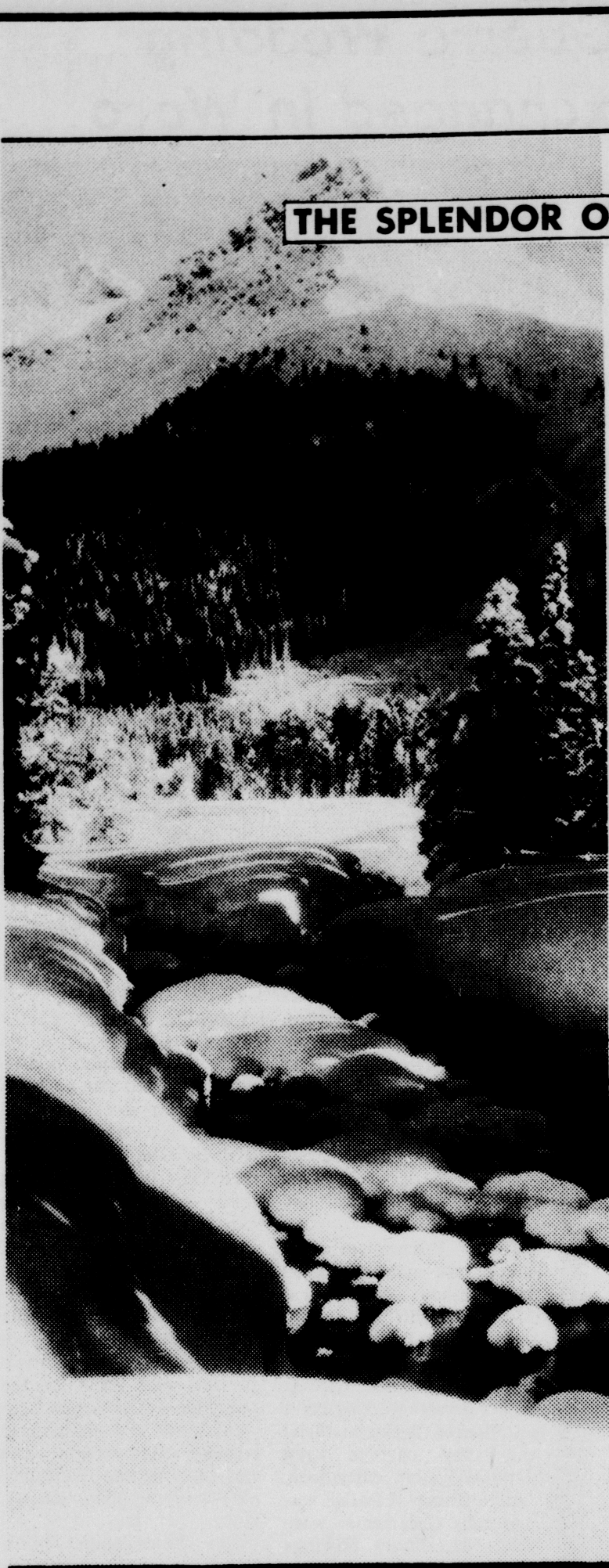
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Evening 7:00 p.m.

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THE SPLENDOR OF THE Snow

Snow falls and puts a beautiful white blanket over the mountains, and even before this one is gone, others will fall. It will become deeper and deeper until the spring, when it begins to melt and provides life giving waters to many streams. These streams meet with others and become rivers and provide water for irrigation and lakes throughout our land.

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Pipers Have Second Half Battle With Baird to Win Bi-District

The Hamlin Pipers put 20 points on the scoreboard in the first half and then fought off a determined Baird Bear rally in the second half to win the Class A Bi-district championship Friday night, 20-14. The game was played in Shotwell Stadium in Abilene.

The Pipers will advance to the Regional playoffs and will meet the Seagraves Eagles in Big Spring Friday night at 7:30.

The Pipers completely dominated the first half allowing the Bears only 13 yards in total offense and no first downs while rolling up 20 points with 14 first downs and 240 total yards offense.

But the big Bear team came back in the second half to score two touchdowns, picking up 12 first downs and 172 yards total offense, while holding the Pipers to no first downs and 34 yards on offense.

Delbert Thompson, who scored one of the Piper touchdowns and ran a two-point conversion, was the night's leading ground gainer with 93 yards in 21 carries. He picked up 76 of these in the first half on 14 carries. Stanley Jones was next for the Pipers with 81 yards in 11 carries and one touchdown. He got all 81 of these yards in the first half on nine carries.

Top ground gainer for Baird was Mark Lucas with 51 yards in 12 carries. Baird picked up 104 yards passing in the second half, completing seven of 20 passes for the night.

Jones returned the opening kickoff 20 yards to put the Piper offense in business on their own 30. Thompson ripped off 18 yards on the first play and might have gone all the way had he not slipped on the muddy field that seemed to plague the speedier Pipers all night. With a first down on their own 48, Jones carried for one and then Thompson carried twice for a total of nine yards and a first down at the Baird 42. Jones added two

more and then Thompson lost three before Quarterback Drew Tomlinson picked up a first down at the 29 on a 14-yard carry.

After a five-yard delay penalty against the Pipers, Thompson picked up nine and then lost two. Facing third and eight, Tomlinson ripped off 17 to give the Pipers a first down at the Baird 10. Jones carried for three, Tomlinson for two, Thompson got to the one on a four-yard effort but his fourth down try was stopped at the one. The drive used up 7:12 of the first quarter.

Taking over on their own one, the Bears were forced to punt four plays later from their own three with Hamlin taking over at the Baird 48.

Tomlinson carried for one, Thompson for three and then Tomlinson passed to Charles Brown for 31 yards to the Baird 14. The Bears were penalized to the seven and then Thompson went over his right tackle for the score. The kick by Jones was no good and the Pipers led 6-0 with 1:50 left in the first period.

Baird returned the kickoff back to their own 34 but four plays later were forced to punt from their own 27 with Hamlin taking over on the Piper 37.

Thompson rolled for 15 yards to the Baird 48 and then Jones broke up the middle for 48 yards and the second Piper touchdown. Thompson took the option pitch from Tomlinson and went in standing up for the two points with 11:15 left in the first half.

Baird returned the kickoff to their own 22 and gained eight yards in three plays before being forced to punt again. Jones lost a yard on first down and then Tomlinson went to the air for two plays with one of them being just inches away from a possible touchdown by Ronald Brown. Vance Lahey got off a 50-yard punt to the Baird eight-yard line.

Even with the help of a five-yard penalty against the

HAMLIN		BAIRD	
14	First Downs	12	
213	Rushing Yds.	81	
61	Passing Yds.	104	
3 of 8	Passes Comp.	7 of 20	
3	Passes Int. by	1	
6 for 29.5	Punts, Avg. 5	5 for 33.4	
9 for 80	Pen. Yds. 11	for 73	
0	Fumbles Lost	0	

Pipers, the Bears could not make a first down and punted again from their 15.

Taking over on the Baird 40, the Pipers used Thompson for six yards and a Baird penalty gave the Pipers a first down at the 30. Jones carried for two and Thompson picked up 10 for another first down at the 18. Jones was held to a one-yard gain, Tomlinson lost four to put the ball back on the 22. Taking to the air, the Pipers had one pass go incomplete and then Tomlinson completed one to Thompson in the end zone but an offside penalty nullified score. Facing fourth down from the 27, Tomlinson connected with Charles Brown for a 27-yard touchdown pass. The kick was blocked with 3:56 left in the half.

Following the kickoff Mike Hymer intercepted a third down pass at the Hamlin 26. Jones picked up a first down at the Hamlin 45 on a 19 yard run and then picked up six more to the Baird 49. Tomlinson had one pass go incomplete and then was dropped for a six-yard loss back to the 45 and Hamlin punted to the Baird 24.

Two plays later Charles Brown picked off another Baird pass at the Hamlin 47 with 14 seconds left in the half. Tomlinson ran for 11 yards and then Baird picked off his pass on the next play at the Bear 36. With one second left the Bears tried one more pass but it was incomplete as the half ended.

Baird returned the second half kickoff back 15 yards to their own 24 and put together two first downs on the running of Lucas and Larry Cauthen to the Hamlin 43 and

then a 15-yard penalty gave them the ball on the Hamlin 28. The Bears lost five yards on a penalty and in four plays lost three more yards with the Pipers taking over on their own 36.

Thompson picked up nine yards in two carries and then Tomlinson tripped on the third down try and Lahey was forced to punt to the Baird 26.

Baird lost another five yards on a penalty and could gain only six yards in three plays before punting from their own 27. The 27-yard punt was returned 32 yards by Charles Brown to the Baird 22.

Tomlinson passed three yards to Charles Brown and then Hamlin drew a five-yard penalty back to the 24. Tomlinson was dropped for a two-yard loss and Thompson picked up nine yards to give the Pipers a fourth down and five situation. Jones was stopped for a two-yard gain with the Bears taking over at their 15.

The Pipers lost nine yards in three plays with Lahey being forced to punt from his own end zone. The Bears drew a roughing the kicker penalty to move the ball out to the 25 from where Lahey got off a 22-yard punt to the Hamlin 27.

Baird lost five on a penalty and then gained 12 on a run by Cauthen. Cauthen was dropped for a two-yard loss on the next play but the Pipers were charged with a late hit to give the Bears a first down at the Hamlin 25. Facing fourth and ten Sadler passed for 15 yards to the Hamlin 10. He was dropped for a three-yard loss and then the Pipers were called for pass interference on the next play to give the Bears a first down at the two. Sadler carried in for the score and Cauthen kicked the point after with six minutes left in the game.

Jones returned the kickoff back to the Hamlin 21 and on first down Thompson was

dropped for a yard loss and then Hamlin drew a 10-yard penalty back to the 10-yard line. Tomlinson carried for seven but another penalty put the ball back on the nine.

Tomlinson recovered his own fumble for no gain on third down and the Pipers were forced to punt from their end zone again. The Bears roughed the kicker again and

Lahey punted over for 14 yards from his own 24. Taking over on the Hamlin 38 with 3:34 left on the clock, Sadler passed to Mendez, who pitched back to Cauthen for a 26-yard gain to the Hamlin 12. Two Piper defenders slipped in the mud on the play. Lucas carried for three, Sadler passed to Lucas for two more and then connected with Cauthen for seven yards and the touchdown. Cauthen kicked the point after to cut the Piper lead to 20-14 with two minutes left on the clock.

With everyone in the stand expecting an on-side kick, the Bears kicked deep to Jones who returned it to about the 30 but off-setting penalties forced the Bears to kick again. This time Jones returned it to the 17. Thompson gained six yards in

three carries and Lahey was called upon to punt again with 36 seconds left on the clock. His 30-yard punt gave the Bears the ball on their own 47 with 28 seconds left.

Sadler threw out to his wide receiver Mendez who was dropped for a two-yard loss and with time running out Sadler tried another pass with Jones intercepting it for the Pipers as the game ended.

Score by quarters—	
Hamlin	6 14 0 0 20
Baird	0 0 0 14 14
Penetrations by quarters	
Hamlin	2 2 1 0 5
Baird	0 0 1 2 3
First downs by quarters—	
Hamlin	7 7 0 0 14
Baird	0 0 6 6 12
Plays by quarters—	
Hamlin	18 21 8 12 59
Baird	7 15 23 17 61

The Piper Press

Hamlin High School Happenings

(Compiled each week by the HHS Journalism Class)

Fourteen band members of Hamlin High School made district band Saturday at Sweetwater. Band members from 27 schools tried out.

The members who made the band were Stephanie Hymer, flute; Jamie Jones, flute; Arlieta Thomas, flute; Lisa Howard, clarinet; LaEtta Scifres, clarinet; Melinda Johnson, clarinet; Gayla Bockmon, clarinet; Nicky Bond, oboe; DeDe Young, alto saxophone; Wayne Wheat, tenor saxophone; Gregg Bessire, trumpet; Randall Lewis, trombone; Mark Young, percussion I; and Debbie Hargrove, percussion II.

The students practiced seven hours Saturday and presented a concert that evening in the Sweetwater High School Auditorium.

The clinician and conductor of the band was Dr. Charles Traylor, Abilene Christian University band director.

Coach Bettye Davis' Pipers steamrolled Ballinger, Rule and Stamford for first place in the Stamford Invitational Tournament last weekend. The Pipers soundly defeated a helpless Ballinger team 61-23 in the first game behind the scoring of Starlet Covington, who tallied 32 points.

They then advanced to play Rule in the second round, again winning solidly 55-21 behind Starlet's 24 points.

The Pipers then advanced to the championship game against Stamford. The score stayed close until the Pipers began pulling away, finally defeating the host Bulldogs 65-42 behind Liz Hooper's 28 points.

Named to the all-tournament team were guards Barbara Hooper and Tonya Covington and forward Starlet Covington, who was named the outstanding forward of the tourney.

The Hamlin Public Schools will be let out at 2 p.m. Wednesday (today) for the Thanksgiving Holidays. Classes will begin Monday at the regular time.

During the pep rally Friday Drew Tomlinson received the spirit brick and the seniors won the spirit stick for having the most spirit.

President of the National Honor Society, Elise Kelley, announced November Citizens of the Month, senior Pam Absher and junior Gary Lain.

METER CONNECTS

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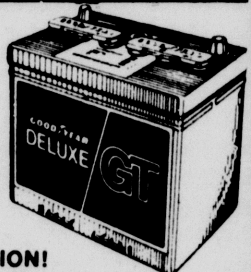
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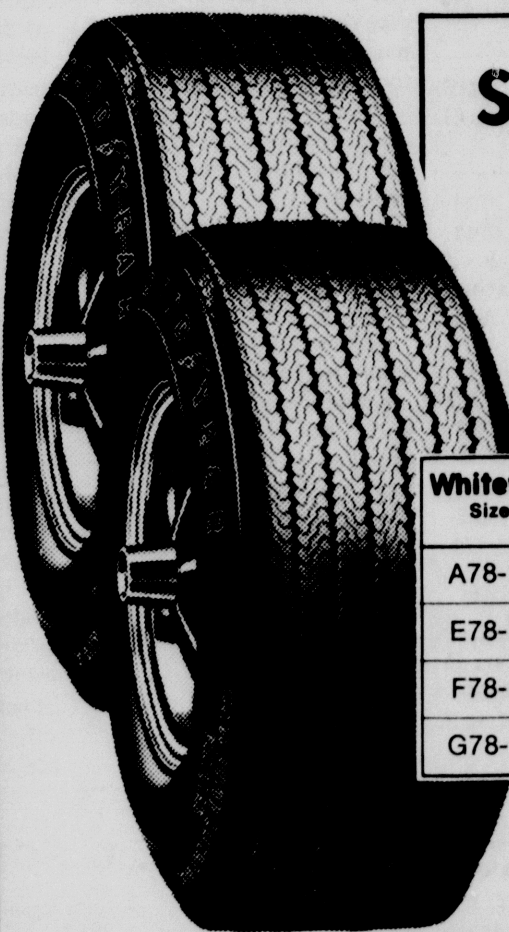
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LEGAL NOTICE
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 1, REGULATING SEWER PLUMBING WITHIN THE CITY OF HAMLIN, BY ALLOWING THE USE OF ADDITIONAL TYPES OF MATERIALS FOR SEWER PIPES AND FITTINGS
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF HAMLIN:

Section 1. The ordinance, as amended, of the City of Hamlin regulating sewer plumbing within the city, is hereby amended, as follows:

Any portion or section of said ordinance wherein the type of pipes, together with fittings, is specified shall be amended to include, and allow the use of, in addition to any of the various types of pipe so specified, Schedule 40 plastic pipe with p.s.i. of 220 for sewer lines, together with fittings for such plastic pipe as generally accepted within the plumbing trade as acceptable.

Section 2. Anything contained in the ordinances of the City of Hamlin in conflict herewith is hereby repealed.

Section 3. This amendment shall become effective immediately upon its passage and upon publication as required by the laws of the State of Texas.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 20th day of September, 1976.

Robert Fowler
Mayor

ATTEST:
John Steele
City Secretary

PUBLIC NOTICE

Lone Star Gas Company, in accordance with Section 43(a) of Article 1446c V.A.T.C.S., hereby gives notice of the Company's intent to implement a new schedule of rates for natural gas service to be charged to the industrial consumers in the City of Hamlin, effective December 16, 1976.

It is anticipated that the increased cost of service under Schedule of Industrial Rates-N, Rate Schedule For Public Free Schools-N and Schedule For Industrial Rates-N for Agencies of the State or Federal Government will result in \$842.00 additional annual revenue to Lone Star Gas Company in the City of Hamlin.

A Statement of intent has been filed with the City of Hamlin and is available for inspection at the Company's business located at 401 So. Central, Hamlin, Texas.

Lone Star Gas Company

LEGAL NOTICE
BUDGET HEARING For Hamlin Hospital District will be held at 7 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. 30, at Hamlin City Hall.

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT EFFECT ON THE ENVIRONMENT
Date: Nov. 24, 1976
CITY OF HAMLIN
353 SOUTH CENTRAL
HAMLIN, TEXAS 79520
915 - 576-2711

TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:

The above-named City proposes to request the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to release Federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (PL 93-383) to be used for the following project:

Water Treatment Plant Improvements
To Recover Backwash Water
S.W. 6th Between S.W. A and S.W. B
\$29,000.

It has been determined that such request for release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and, accordingly, the above-named City has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (PL 91-190).

The reasons for such decision not to prepare such Statement are as follows: The city's Community Development Program is considered a necessary program to enhance the local environment and is in accordance with National, State, and local environmental standards and goals.

An Environmental Review Record respecting the within project has been made by the above-named City which documents the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reasons why such Statement is not required. This Environmental Review Record is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying, upon request, at City Hall, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

No further environmental review of such project is proposed to be conducted, prior to the request for release of Federal funds.

All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by the City of the office of the undersigned. Such written comments should be received at the address specified on or before Dec. 9, 1976. All such comments so received will be considered and the City will not request the release of Federal funds or take any administrative action on the within project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentence.

Robert Fowler, Mayor
Drawer N
Hamlin, Texas 79520

Attend Funeral

Mrs. S. C. Hollis and Evelyn May attended the funeral of Henry Couzens in Bonham Wednesday, Nov. 17. Mr. Couzens, husband of Mrs. Hollis' sister-in-law, died at 6:30 p.m. Monday at his home in Bonham after a lengthy illness.

He is survived by his wife, the former Goldie Hollis.

LEGAL NOTICE
An ordinance fixing and determining the general service rate to be charged for sales of natural gas to residential and commercial consumers within the City limits of Hamlin, Jones County, Texas, and providing for the manner in which such rate may be changed, adjusted and amended. Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Hamlin:

SECTION 1. Effective with the first gas bills rendered from and after thirty (30) days from the date of final passage of this ordinance, the maximum general service rate for sales of natural gas rendered to residential and commercial consumers within the city limits of Hamlin by Lone Star Gas Company, its successors and assigns, is hereby fixed and determined as follows: First 1000 Cu. Ft. or Fraction Thereof \$3.00, Over 1000 Cu. Ft. at \$2.08 Per MCF.

No gas bill will be rendered to any residential or commercial consumer served under the above rate not consuming any gas during any monthly billing period, except that where customer's only use for gas service is in an outdoor grill and or a fireplace starter, the amount shown for the first consumption block shall constitute a minimum monthly bill.

ADJUSTMENTS
The amount of each monthly bill computed at the above-stated rates shall be subject to the following adjustments: Plus or minus the amount of any increase or decrease, respectively, above or below the \$1.3488 per Mcf level in the intracompany city gate charge as authorized by the Railroad Commission of the State of Texas or other regulatory body having jurisdiction for gas delivered to Lone Star Gas Company's distribution system for sale to residential and commercial consumers where such changes are caused by increases or decreases in the cost of gas purchased by the Company; plus an amount equivalent to the proportionate part of any new tax, or

increased tax, or any other governmental imposition, rental, fee or charge (except state, county, city and special district ad valorem taxes and taxes on net income) levied, assessed or imposed subsequent to July 1, 1976, upon or allocable to the Company's distribution operations, by any new or amended law, ordinance or contract. Company, at its option, may forego the application of any adjustment if such adjustment would result in an increase in the monthly bill; however, failure of Company to apply any adjustment shall not constitute a waiver of Company's right from time to time, or at any time, to make any adjustment, in whole or in part, in any subsequent current monthly bill that may be applicable to such bill.

All bills shall be due and payable when rendered.

The above rate is applicable to each residential and commercial consumer per meter per month or for any part of a month for which gas is used at the same location.

In addition to the aforesaid rates, Company shall have the right to collect such reasonable charges as are necessary to conduct its business and to carry out its reasonable rules and regulations in effect.

SECTION 2. The rate set forth in Section 1 may be changed and amended by either the City or Company

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furnishing gas in the manner provided by law. Service hereunder is subject to the orders of regulatory bodies having jurisdiction, and to the Company's Rules and Regulations currently on file in the Company's office.

SECTION 3. It is hereby found and determined that the meeting at which this ordinance was passed was open to the public, as required by Texas law, and that advance public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this 15 day of November, A. D. 1976.

ATTEST:
John Steele
Secretary
Robert Fowler
Mayor

City of Hamlin, Texas
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF JONES

I, John Steele, Secretary of the City of Hamlin, Jones County, Texas, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an ordinance passed and approved by the City Council of the City of Hamlin at a Regular session held on the 15 day of November, 1976, as it appears of record in the Minutes of said meeting in Book 6, Page 118.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID CITY, this 15 day of November, A. D. 1976.
John Steele, Secretary
City of Hamlin, Texas

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Cemetery Association Expresses Appreciation

The directors of the Hamlin Cemetery Association announced this week that the Association has raised a total of \$102,000.00 of the \$150,000.00 goal set for its Endowment Trust Fund.

The directors expressed their appreciation to the people of the area for their support of the effort to place the local cemetery on a perpetual care basis and set a goal of \$50,000.00 for 1977 to complete the original goal. The trustees of the organization pointed out this week that the additional \$50,000.00 in endowment funds is needed to permit the cemetery to hire a permanent caretaker. Under terms of the trust fund, it was pointed out that the endowment funds would never be spent but would be invested and the income generated would be used to keep up the cemetery.

The directors are also stressing the need to sell additional lots. A spokesman for the group expressed the hope that during this Thanksgiving and Christmas season that many will remember this project and make their donations before the end of the year.

The spokesman also pointed out that some of the lots at the cemetery have been worked all this past year without any donations being made by the families involved.

Those interested in this project should mail their contributions to the Hamlin Cemetery Association, Box 383, Hamlin or contact any member of the Board of Trustees. The trustees are: Bill Rountree, chairman; Weldon Hudson, vice chairman; John Howard Jr., secretary-treasurer; L. C. Bonds, Edward Gardner, Bill Moore, Mrs. J. C. Bailey, Mrs. John C. Bryant, and Mrs. Weldon Griggs.

Junior Rodeo Set

The Abilene Junior Rodeo Club will sponsor a Junior Rodeo Jan. 13, 14, 15 at 8 p. m. in the Taylor County Coliseum in Abilene.

More information is available by writing P. O. Box 544, Abilene, Tex. 79604.

New Parents

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Smart are parents of a boy, Joseph Dairl, 8 lbs. 5 oz., born Tuesday, Nov. 16 at 12:45 a.m. in Stamford Memorial Hospital. They have a daughter, Sheila Lee, 2.

Grandparents are Mrs. Troy Long, Mr. D. D. Gann and Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Smart. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Gann and Mrs. Mattie Smart.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Bond had as visitors over the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Espy of Huntsville, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thomas of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McDonald of Bridgeport, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Wilkes and Bonnie of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bond and Billy of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lewis and Macael, of Snyder and Mrs. Troy Gruben and Lisa of Roby.

NHS Plans

Party Dec. 13

The Hamlin National Honor Society met Friday for the first meeting with the new members. They voted to have a Mexican dinner and Christmas party December 13 at 7 p.m. The party will be held in the home of Elise Kelley. Members also drew names to buy gifts for the Christmas party.

Citizens of the month for November were selected. Gary Lain, junior, and Pam Absher, senior, were selected citizens of the month for November.

Eastern Star

Seeks Cartons

Homemakers doing their holiday baking are asked to remember the continuing project of the Hamlin Chapter No. 460, Order of Eastern Star-the collection of Adams Extract cartons.

Arrangements have been made at the grocery stores for these cartons to be left at the check stands. The OES members will pick up the cartons at the stores to turn in to the extract company.

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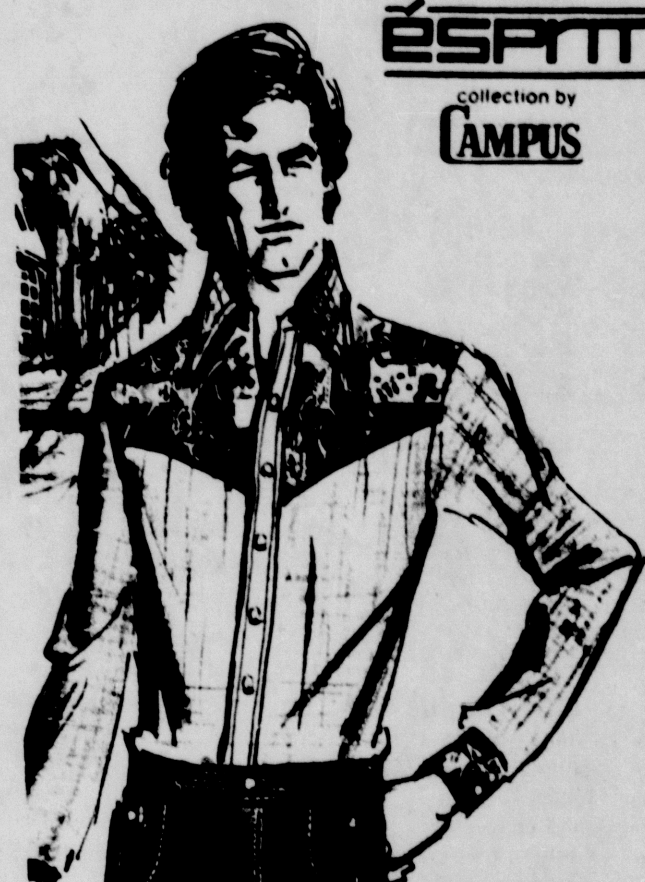
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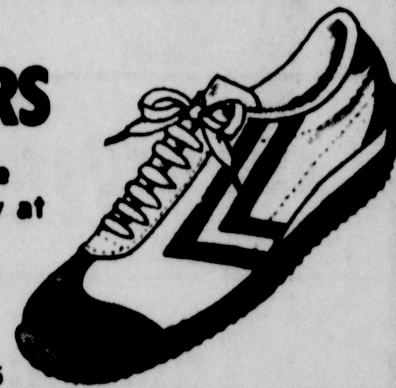
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